

**NPM 16:** *The rate (per 100,000) of suicide deaths among youths aged 15 through 19.*

Annual Objective and Performance Data	Tracking Performance Measures (Sec 485 (2)(2)(B)(iii) and 486 (a)(2)(A)(iii))				
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Annual Performance Objective	7	7	7	7	7
Annual Indicator	13.4	10.4	10.5	11.2	
Numerator	51	43	43	46	
Denominator	379,467	411,490	409,424	409,420	
Is Data Provisional or Final				Final	
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Annual Performance Objective	9.0	8.0	8.0	7.5	7.5

#### Notes - 2002

Sources: Numerator: Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services, Wisconsin Division of Health Care Financing, Bureau of Health Information, Wisconsin Deaths, 2001, Madison, Wisconsin, 2001. Denominator: Table A1. Wisconsin Bureau of Health Information, Wisconsin Population by age and sex, July 1, 200. Wisconsin Deaths, 2001. Data issues: Data for CY2002 are not available from the Bureau of Health Information until mid-2004.

#### Notes - 2003

Sources: Numerator: Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Public Health, Bureau of Health Information and Policy, Wisconsin Deaths, 2003, Madison, Wisconsin, 2005. Denominator: Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services, Division of Public Health, Bureau of Health Information and Policy, Wisconsin Interactive Statistics on Health (WISH), <http://dhfs.wisconsin.gov/wish/>, Population Module, accessed 05/11/05.

#### Notes - 2004

Data for 2004 are not available until from the Bureau of Health Information and Policy until 2006.

#### a. Last Year's Accomplishments

##### 1. Anticipatory Guidance, Risk Assessment and Referrals--Direct Health Care Services--Adolescents

LHDs provide comprehensive primary health exams using Bright Futures Guidelines for Health Supervision of Infants, Children and Adolescents. Anticipatory guidance on mental health, injury and violence prevention are included. Risk assessments of depression for youth were conducted and appropriate referral and education were provided. The Milwaukee Adolescent Health Program (MAHP)-Medical College of Wisconsin continue to provide clinical services to thousands of adolescents. The Adolescent School Health Program (ASHP) at the Milwaukee Health Department continues to provide depression screening and appropriate education and referral. Other school districts are beginning to incorporate Columbia Teen Screen, screening for depression in adolescents. Mental Health Association of Milwaukee began working with the State Medical Society to discuss training opportunities for physicians around mental health and suicide.

##### 2. Training and Presentations to Raise Awareness and Reduce Stigma--Population-Based Services--Adolescents

Numerous presentations, workshops, and displays were conducted at a variety of conferences (e.g. Children Come First, School Counselors Association, EMSC and Injury Prevention, Crisis Conference, etc.). DPI, one of SPI partners, worked with others to develop "A Resource and Planning Guide for Suicide Prevention" and training modules (see [www.dpi.state.wi.us](http://www.dpi.state.wi.us)). Another partner, Helping Others Prevent and Educate about Suicide (HOPES), provides community trainings and technical support to coalitions developing suicide prevention programs and activities. HOPES and Mental Health Association of Milwaukee sit on the State's Anti Stigma Committee and share information with the Suicide Prevention Initiative members as well as with the partners they are working with across the state. Marathon County has developed a suicide review committee and a community coalition partnering with mental health, public health, coroner, law enforcement, and other community partners working to educate, provide training to professionals, provide gatekeeper training for the public, review trends identified at their suicide review committee meetings.

### 3. Suicide Prevention Initiative (SPI)--Infrastructure Building Services--Adolescents

SPI continues its efforts toward the implementation of the Wisconsin Suicide Prevention Strategy and is looking to expand its SPI membership to other partners around the state. There are plans for a regional suicide prevention training/conference in 2005 for Public Health Regions 3 & 5 which Wisconsin plans to participate in.

Activities	Pyramid Level of Service			
	DHC	ES	PBS	IB
1. Anticipatory guidance, risk assessment, and referrals	X			
2. Training and presentations to raise awareness and reduce stigma			X	
3. Suicide Prevention Initiative				X

#### **b. Current Activities**

##### 1. Anticipatory Guidance, Risk Assessment and Referrals--Direct Health Care Services--Adolescents

LHDs (and others, e.g. MAHP) continue to provide comprehensive primary health exams using "Bright Futures Guidelines for Health Supervision of Infants, Children and Adolescents." Anticipatory guidance on mental health, injury and violence prevention are included. Risk assessments of depression for youth are being conducted and appropriate education and referral are provided. ASHP utilizes the Children's Depression Inventory (CDI) tool and for screening pregnant and/or postpartum school-aged females utilizes the Center for Epidemiologic Studies-Depression (CESD) tool.

##### 2. Training and Presentations to Raise Awareness and Reduce Stigma--Population-Based Services--Adolescents

As in 2004, numerous presentations, workshops, and displays are being conducted and are scheduled for throughout 2005 at a variety of conferences. Mental Health Association in Milwaukee County (MHA), one of SPIs partners, again is funding one-time only mini-grants for implementing or expanding suicide prevention activities in Wisconsin schools in collaboration with community partners. Other SPI partners, DPI and HOPES, continue to provide training on suicide prevention.

Work continues with the State's Anti Stigma Committee and with the Crises Network/Crises Services to provide input into their suicide prevention crisis responses and training for their staffs.

### 3. Suicide Prevention Initiative--Infrastructure Building Services--Adolescents

SPI continues its efforts toward the implementation of the Wisconsin Suicide Prevention Strategy. MHA will take the lead in applying for grant funding to support this work statewide targeting youth in schools. A variety of information sharing materials have been prepared: Wisconsin Interactive Statistics on Health (WISH) Query System Module focusing on suicide deaths and hospitalizations, a Teens Suicide Fact Sheet, and maps of suicide deaths and hospitalizations by county, school districts, and criminal/juvenile justice data for youth. Implementation of "Healthiest Wisconsin 2010: A Partnership Plan to Improve the Health of the Public" is ongoing. Mental Health and Mental Disorders are one of the 11 Health Priorities. A quarterly group of Mental Health and Public Health staff are meeting on a regular basis to communicate and share activities and grant opportunities.

A team of approximately 18 people will be attending a Regions 3 & 5 Suicide Prevention Conference/Training in Pittsburgh in May. It will be their responsibility to develop a plan for suicide prevention in Wisconsin and to bring it back and implement it in WI. Materials were developed and provided to educate and share with them prior to their arrival in Pittsburgh.

#### **c. Plan for the Coming Year**

##### 1. Anticipatory Guidance, Risk Assessment and Referrals--Direct Health Care Services--Adolescents

LHDs and others (e.g. the MAHP and ASHP) will continue to provide comprehensive primary health care utilizing anticipatory guidance on mental health issues. Risk assessments of depression for youth will continue and appropriate referral and education will be provided.

##### 2. Training and Presentations to Raise Awareness and Reduce Stigma--Population-Based Services--Adolescents

SPI partners and others will continue to provide training, presentations, workshops, and displays.

##### 3. Suicide Prevention Initiative--Infrastructure Building Services--Adolescents

Implementation of "Healthiest Wisconsin 2010: A Partnership Plan to Improve the Health of the Public" is ongoing and will continue. Implementation of a statewide suicide prevention plan will occur along with the assistance of the expanded Suicide Prevention Initiative.